

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA  
NORTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	)	
	)	
v	)	CRIMINAL ACTION NO
	)	2:07CR169-MEF
KEITH LASHON BELL	)	

**PRETRIAL CONFERENCE ORDER**

A pretrial conference was held on 3/14/2008, before the undersigned Magistrate Judge. Present at this conference were Ben Schoettker, counsel for the defendant, and Assistant United States Attorney, Nathan Stump, counsel for the government. As a result of the conference, it is

ORDERED as follows:

1. Jury selection is set for **4/7/2008**. The trial of this case is set for the trial term commencing on **4/7/2008**, before **United States District Judge Mark E. Fuller** and is expected to last 2 days for trial.
2. There are no motions currently pending.
3. Proposed voir dire questions shall be filed on or before 3/31/2008. Counsel should not include questions seeking information which is provided in the jury questionnaire.
4. All motions in limine shall be filed on or before **3/31/2008** . Motions in limine must be accompanied by a brief. Failure to file a brief will result in denial of the motion.
5. Proposed jury instructions shall be filed on or before **3/31/2008** .

6. The court will not consider a plea pursuant to Rule 11(c) (1)(A) or (C) unless notice is filed on or before noon on **3/26/2008**. The government and defendant are informed that if a defendant waits until the last minute to enter a plea, and if that plea, for whatever reason, is not accepted by the court, the defendant and the government will be expected to be prepared to go to trial on **4/7/2008**. The court will not continue the trial of this case as to any defendant because a defendant's plea was not accepted. In other words, the defendant and the government should not wait until the last minute for a defendant to enter a guilty plea, and both the defendant and the government should all be ready to go to trial on **4/7/2008**, as to all defendants, even though a particular guilty plea was not accepted by the court.

Done this 18<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2008.

/s/Terry F. Moorer  
TERRY F. MOORER  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE